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1. A Soviet compound with watchtowers is located in Berlin-Johannisthal, about 800 meters southeast of the junction of Segelfliegerdamm and Gross Berliner-damm and about 600 meters southwest of the Schoeneweide marshaling yard. the compound housed a motor pool with the designation 71/4590. Major Sakito (fnu) was the commanding officer. Eighty troops wearing crimson epaulets were quartered in low wooden barracks buildings in the compound.

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2. A Soviet compound containing about 10 low barracks buildings, both brick and wooden, is located about one km northwest of Adlershof railroad station, between the airfield and the railroad line. The installation was surrounded by a high board fence and guarded by sentries posted along the fence every 200 meters and on three watchtowers. All soldiers observed there on 26 April wore black-bordered crimson epaulets without branch-of-service insignia. They were the same troops who had previously worn green epaulets. were seen entering the compound. \*

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Zone of Germany. The green epaulets that were previously worn by the troops there are also indicative of an MOB unit.

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